

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: Economic Development Administration (EDA), Department of Commerce.

Title: Award Amendment Requests and Project Service Maps.

OMB Control Number: 0610-0102.

Form Number(s): None.

Type of Request: Regular submission (extension of a currently approved information collection).

Number of Respondents: 632 (600 requests for amendments to construction awards, 30 requests for amendments to non-construction awards, 2 project service maps).

Average Hours Per Response: 2 hours for an amendment to a construction award, 1 hour for an amendment to a non-construction award, 6 hours for a project service map.

Burden Hours: 1,242.

Needs and Uses: A recipient must submit a written request to EDA to amend an investment award and provide such information and documentation as EDA deems

necessary to determine the merit of altering the terms of an award (*see* 13 CFR 302.7(a) of EDA's regulations). EDA *may* require a recipient to submit a project service map and information from which to determine whether services are provided to all segments of the region being assisted (*see* CFR 302.16(c) of EDA's regulations).

Affected Public: Current recipients of EDA construction (Public Works or Economic Adjustment) assistance, to include (1) cities or other political subdivisions of a state, including a special purpose unit of state or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (2) states; (3) institutions of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; (4) public or private non-profit organizations or associations; (5) District Organizations; and (6) Indian Tribes or a consortia of Indian Tribes and (7) (for training, research, and technical assistance awards only) individuals and for-profit businesses.

Frequency: Ad hoc.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

This information collection request may be viewed at <u>reginfo.gov</u>. Follow the instructions to view Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to <u>OIRA Submission@omb.eop.gov</u> or fax to (202) 395-5806.

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